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Comment: As a resident of Asheville, North Carolina, I find it frustrating that our local radio station WPVM cannot be heard well in our area because of interference from a Knoxville, TN station.

> Apparently, our region needs to use Contour Protection for LPFM Interferance regulations instead of Distance Protection.

Also, I think LPFM stations should be allowed to own their own translators, like the large stations do, which would extend their service into the less provided for regions.

I support your position on eliminating "third adjacent channel spacing" which would allow more LPFM stations to meet the needs of our communities.

Thank you for assuring the existence of and supporting the transmission of local radio stations.

Totsie Marine